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FORMING LEAK-PROOF COUPLING FOR
BEVERAGE DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM

NOTICE OF APPEAL

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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated January 12, 2005 of the Examiner's final rejection of claims .

Applicant's attorney's check in the amount of \$250.00 is enclosed to cover the cost of the Notice of Appeal filing fee.

Respectfully submitted,

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